28 September 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for Support

SUBJECT : Weekly Report of the Office of Training

### 1. Courses

### a. Records Management

Records management training is progressing very well. We have already had presentations with the Mideareer, and the Intelligence and World Affairs courses.

The first Records Disposal Seminar was held on Tuesday, the 26th, with 17 Records Management Officers, GS-09 to GS-13, as students and six senior records officers as observers. The selection of the RMOs for the first session was intentional: to evaluate the program and to determine the applicability of the coverage to newcomers to the subject.

Not all critiques have been received but the initial thinking is that some of the content may be too advanced for the uninitiated. The second seminar is scheduled for Friday of this week, this time with 19 "non-records" employees and 6 observers. Critiques will also be solicited and necessary

modifications will be incorporated for the third running, in December.

(During October and November there will be three presentations each on file systems, and forms design and control.)

We have had almost 150 applications for the three Seminars, each of which was expected to be kept at a maximum of 15. Our new schedule, beginning in January 1973, we expect will take care of the present oversubscription plus the other applications certain to be forthcoming in the intervening months.

Concurrently, plans are underway to film the presentation on records Mr. Everett Alidredge, formerly with National Archives and now retired, will make to senior officials in the Agency. (His presentation will be quite similar to the one he gave at your Staff Meeting in April of this year.)

lectures given in the three courses named above and presentations in the Records Disposal Seminar will also be filmed.

## b. Latin American Area Seminar

The Latin American Area Seminar is off to a good start in its
first FY 73 running. Eleven students are enrolled, only three from WH
Division; the remainder mainly from the DDL. At the session on
19 September, Dr. Milton Barall, a retired Foreign Service Officer,
discussed Caribbean problems and their implications for US security

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interests. Seminar participants engaged him in a lively give-and-take that also involved problems of economic development in Latin America. Dr. Barall has had considerable experience in this field as a top-level advisor in both AID and the Department of State.

### c. Language Statistics

The Language School's total enrollment is now up to 341 students, 66 more than were enrolled at this time a year ago. Of particular interest is that the classes being held at the Headquarters Building make up one-fifth of the total daytime hours of instruction given by the school, a promising result of the decision to take the language training closer to the customer.

### 2. Special Item

Several persons in OTR have recently provided of the Intelligence Community Staff with information on training in analytical methodologies given by OTR and at external facilities. The information 25X1A was in support of a study is doing on the kinds of training given to both new and experienced analysts in the Agency, and one which apparently is to include recommendations to the DCI if any changes in the training are thought necessary.

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spent time with discussing training in information science techniques, with instructors in the School of Intelligence and World Affairs on the coverage of analytical techniques in the production courses,

and with members of the Admissions, Information and Records Branch, where he obtained a lengthy list of courses taken under Agency sponsorship at outside facilities and the number of employees who took those courses.

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has phoned his thanks for the assistance, and reports that he has enough data to work with.

#### 3. Notes

Three conferences are scheduled for the 25X1A during October: OSR, 12-13; IAS Working Management Conference, 13-14; and WH Division's COS Conference, 30 October-3 November. . . . Robert

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by private contractors. . . . Enrollment for the 30 October Foreign Affairs

Executive Seminar now stands at six: five are from the DDI and one,

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from the Office of Logistics. . . . We have received confirmation from the U.S. Army Armor Center at Fort Knox that the second running of the Special Orientation Course for CIA Personnel will be held 13-17 November 1972. (This is the special course designed by the Center 

## 4. Briefings

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The present Attache Class from DIS will visit Headquarters on 4 October. The program, which begins at 8 a.m. and concludes with lunch at 11:20 a.m. in the North Cafeteria, is to be conducted in Room 1A-13. In addition to the class of 35 officers, several faculty advisors are expected to attend.

## 5. Guest Speakers

Attached is the schedule of high-level guest speakers who will participate in OTR courses during the week beginning Sunday, 1 October.

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Director of Training

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## High-Level Guest Speakers for the Week Beginning 1 October 1972

	Name	Course	Location & Time
		Monday, 2 October	
	Donald Brewster National Security Council Staff	Midcareer	Hq., Rm. 1A-07 0900-1200
	John Holdridge Senior Staff Member National Security Counci	Midcareer	Hq., Rm. 1A-07 1400-1530
25X1A		Midcareer	Hq., Rm. 1A-07 1545-1715
	W. E. Colby Ex. DirCompt.	Midcareer	Hq., Rm. 7D-42 1730-1930 25X1A
	John F. Blake	Project Officer in	
	D/L	the Contract Cycle	0900-0930 25X1A
25X1A		Project Officer in	
	SA/DD/S&T	the Contract Cycle	0940-1030
		Tuesday, 3 October	
25X1A	Dep. Asst. Director for Production, NSA	Midcareer	Hq., Rm. 1A-07 0945-1200
	James J. Hitchcock C/PEG/IC	Midcareer	Hq., Rm. 1A-07 1515-1645

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## Wednesday, 4 October

The Honorable
Marshall Green
Asst. Sec. for East
Asian & Pacific Affairs.

Midcareer Hq., Rm. LA-07

0900-1030

Asian & Pacific Affair Department of State

Brigadier General Daniel Graham Deputy Director for Estimates, DIA

Midcareer

Hq., Rm. 1A-07

1500-1600

Thursday, 5 October

Charles A. Briggs D/PPB

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The Honorable

Charles A. Meyer
Asst. Secretary for
Inter-American Affairs,
Department of State

Midcareer

Hq., Rm. 1A-07

1000-1130

1030-1130

Walter C. Minnick Staff Coordinator for Cabinet Committee on International Narcotics

Control

Midcareer

Hq., Rm. 1A-07

1400-1600

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Hq., Rm. 1A-13

0900-0930

Friday, 6 October

Allen Schick
Senior Specialist in
American Government,
Congressional Research
Service, Library of
Congress

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Hq., Rm. 1A-07

0900-1030

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## Friday, 6 October, Con't.

Richard Helms

DCI

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Hq., Rm. 7E-26

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John W. Coffey

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1440-1530

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SA/DD/S&T

Project Officer in the Contract Cycle

0830-0920

W. E. Colby

Ex. Dir. - Compt. (Host)

Executive Interchange

Program

Hq., Rm. 1A-07

1400-1600

Panel:

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Charles A. Briggs, D/PPB

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Sayre Stevens, D/ORD

NOTE:

- (1) Lt. General Walters, DDCI, is scheduled to speak at the Infantry School, Fort Benning, Georgia on Wednesday, 4 October.
- (2) The Attache Class, Defense Intelligence School will visit
  Headquarters on Wednesday, 4 October, 0800-1200, in
  room 1A-13. They will be briefed by COTR; 25X1A
  and Mr. Bertholf, Chief, CIA Operations Center.